WEATHER:

44 F., fair

STREAM:

40 F., clear/colorless,

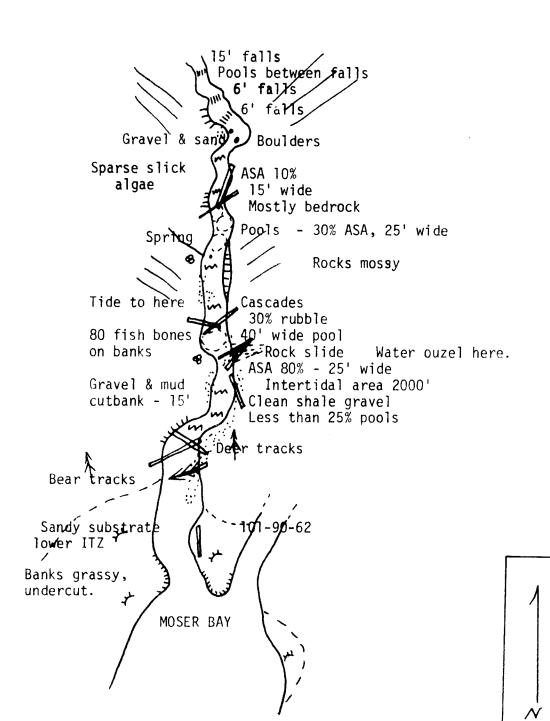
10 cfs, rapid, pH 7.5

TREES:

Spruce/hemlock

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101-96-10610 Catalog No: 101-90-61
Former Stream No: K89, Previous No. 85L Name: Moser Creek Latitude: 55 31 85 57" Work Area: Ketchikan
Watershed Length: 4 miles Location: Behm Canal, Moser Bay Drainage Area: 3.3 sq. miles East head. Water Supply Type: Runoff. Trails & Survey Routes: Easily walked during normal water levels. Aerial Survey Notes: Not surveyed by air. Intertidal area should be well suited for aerial survey. Anchorage: At drop off of delta at head of Moser Bay. Tide Stage when Surveyed: 1/2 flood. RESOURCES COMMERCIAL FISHERIES (species, escapement, timing, spawning area): Pink, chum, coho. See attached escapement report. Timing late (Sept.-Oct.). Spawning area 4050 m² (2000'x25'x80%) ITZ + (900'x20'x20% ASA). Limited rearing for coho, trout. Schooling Areas: Pool at confluence with 101-90-62 and scattered pools in upper intertidal area. Spawning Areas: Best quality riffles within intertidal portion. SHELLFISH POTENTIAL: Dungeness crabs, clams on flats off mouth. SPORT FISHERIES: Nominal. LAND USE (history, present, proposed): Watershed within Tongass National Forest. Sparse population around Moser Bay. Proximity to Ketchikan area means area receives frequent recreational visitors. Flats at head receive a limited number of waterfowl hunters in the fall. Fish traps were stored on the flats. REHABILITATION POTENTIAL: None SOILS: Appeared stable. GAME RESOURCES (species, use, habitat):___ Much sign of bear activity (tracks, scats, fish bones on bank, trails), deer tracks.